

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

M&MI - Bhupathipalem Reservoir Scheme, Investigation, Design, Estimation, Excavation of Main Canal, Branch Canals and its Distributaries, Field Channels including construction of CM&CD works to feed an ayacut of 23,086 acres under Bhupathipalem Reservoir Scheme in East Godavari District - Shortage of contemplated ayacut - Reduction of Contract Price by Rs.1.33 Crores due to further reduction of ayacut from 14028 Acres to 11525 Acres – Orders – Issued.

IRRIGATION & CAD (PW M&MI CA.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 32

Dt:17.02.2014

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.8, Irrigation & CAD (PW.CA.II) Dept., Dt:18.02.2013
2. From the Engineer-in-Chief, Indira Sagar Polavaram Project, Dowlaiswaram Lr.No. ENC/ISPP/DCE2/OT.7/AEE1/BRP/Vol.22, Dt:10.02.2013 &Dt:02.12.2013.

>><<

ORDER:

The Engineer-in-Chief, Indira Sagar Polavaram Project, Dowlaiswaram in his letter 2nd read above has stated that the Bhupathipalem Reservoir Scheme is proposed across Seethapalli vagu near Bhupathipalem village to irrigate an ayacut of 9343 ha (23,086 acres) in the tribal areas of Rampachodavaram and Gangavaram mandals of E.G. District and also to provide drinking water facilities for 33 villages enroute the canal. The works of excavation of main canal and its distributaries including CM&CD works was awarded to M/s. MCL-RSR (J.V) Rajahmundry on Turnkey / E.P.C. System for Rs.28,44,69,999/- with (+) 4.996% excess over the ECV and the work is completed. The State Level Standing Committee and IBM Committee recommends to reduce the contract value of the agreement by Rs.4.81 Crores which is financial implications due to shortage in the command area. Government in G.O.Ms.No.8, Irrigation & CAD (PW M&MI CA.II) Dept., Dated:18-2-2013, issued orders for reduction of agreement value by Rs.4.81 Crores due to reduction of ayacut from 23,086 Acres to 14,028 Acres.

2. The extent of ayacut was verified by the Officers of I&CAD Department, Revenue Department and Agriculture Department and the actual extent of ayacut under the scheme was found to be 11,525 Acres only as against 14,028 Acres reported earlier. Due to further reduction of ayacut from 14,028 Acres to 11,525 Acres, the contract price of the subject work is to be reduced correspondingly by an amount of Rs. 1.33 Crores (over and above Rs.4.81 Crores proposed for recovery from contract price earlier). The proposals and computations for reduction of the contract price by a further amount of Rs.1.33 Crores were discussed in the IBM Committee and State Level Standing Committee and recommended to Government to reduce the contract price of the agreement by Rs.1.33 Crores (over and above Rs.4.81 Crores recommended earlier) due to reduction in the command area from 14,028 Acres to 11,525 Acres.

3. The Engineer-in-Chief, Indira Sagar Polavaram Project, Dowlaiswaram has also reported that the reduction of ayacut from 14028 acres to 11525 acres will not have any bearing on the three issues i.e., (a) There is no change in the provision made towards the drinking water facility for 33 villages en-route the canal. Hence the reduction of ayacut to 11525 Acres will not have any bearing on the drinking water facility to 33 villages enroute. (b) There is no change in the provisions made in Bhupathipalem Reservoir Project main canal towards feeding of additional ayacut of 8485 acres under

Surampalem Reservoir Scheme. Thus the reduction of ayacut of Bhupathipalem Reservoir Scheme to 11525 Acres has no bearing on the feeding of additional ayacut of 8485 acres of Surampalem Reservoir Scheme, and (c) The per acre rate of distributaries including field channels as per sanctioned estimate is Rs.4856.33 (Rs. 12,000 per hectare) for this project.

4. The Engineer-in-Chief, Indira Sagar Polavaram Project, Dowlaiswaram has requested for Reduction of Contract value by an amount of Rs.1.33 Crores, corresponding to further reduction of ayacut for the Bhupatipalem Reservoir Scheme, from 14028 Acres to 11525 Acres, based on the recommendations of the State Level Standing Committee and IBM Committee.

5. In the circumstances reported by the Engineer-in-Chief, Indira Sagar Polavaram Project, Dowlaiswaram, Government after careful examination hereby accord permission for further reduction of contract value by an amount of Rs.1.33 Crore (over and above Rs.4.81 Crores recommended earlier for which orders were issued vide G.O.Ms.No.8, Irrigation & CAD (PW M&MI CA.II) Dept., Dt:18.02.2013 corresponding to further reduction of ayacut under scheme from 14028 acres to 11525 acres for the work of "Investigation, Design, Estimation, Excavation of Main Canal, Branch Canals and its Distributaries, Field Channels including construction of CM&CD works to feed an ayacut of 23,086 acres under Bhupathipalem Reservoir Scheme in East Godavari District.

5. The Engineer-in-Chief, Indira Sagar Polavaram Project, Dowlaiswaram shall take further action accordingly.

6. This order issued with the concurrence of Fin (W&P) Department vide their U.O.No.3969/F7(A1)/13, Dated:02.01.2014.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ADITHYANATH DAS
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Engineer-in-Chief, Indira Sagar Polavaram Project, Dowlaiswaram

Copy to

The PAO, AP, Hyderabad.

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, AP, Hyderabad

The AG, AP, Hyderabad

The Finance (W&P) Dept.,

P.S to M(M&MI)

P.S. to Prl. Secy., (P)

// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER